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AACA SEEKS MEMBER PHOTOS! **Part 121, 135, 91 Commercial**

Please forward your high-resolution photos so AACAA can share your flights on the website and in advocacy presentations. Email you photos to:

AACA@alaskaaircarriers.org



CORONA VIRUS UPDATES!

- **Anchorage International Airport reports the first**

• Anchorage International Airport reports the first case of Corona Virus in Alaska.

- [March 12, 2020 Press Release - ADOT](#)
- [ANC Notification](#)
- **SAFETY:**
 - [SAFO 020003](#)
 - **Center for Disease Control and Prevention:**
 - **Protect yourself:**
 - Clean your hands often
 - Avoid close contact
 - **Protect Others:**
 - Stay home if you're sick
 - Wear a facemask if you are sick
 - Clean and disinfect
 - **For more from CDC visit:**
 - <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-nCoV/index.html>

AACA is considering an **ad-hoc Emergency Committee** for members to collaborate on issues related to Covid-19, please reach out to AACA and let us know your thoughts!



RUNWAY CONDITION ISSUES

AACA continues to compile a list of rural airport runways that pose a safety hazard to operators due to runway surface condition issues.

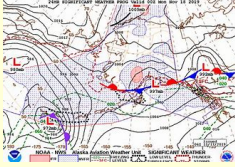


The AACA encourages the ADOT-Aviation Advisory Board to adopt a resolution in support of developing a plan addressing maintenance costs and timeline to repair 26 rural Alaskan airports in 2020.

Please contact AACA if there are airports missing from the attached list.

[2020 Runway Condition Issues](#)

AWOS WEATHER PRIORITIES



Within the next two-three years, AWOS certified weather is expected to be operational at:

1. Akiachak (Z13)
2. Coldfoot (CXF)
3. Kotlik (2A9) - this airport also has a large capital project expended for 2020.
4. Nulato (NUL)
5. Perryville (PEV)
6. Tok (6K8)
7. Tununak (4KA)
8. Crooked Creek (CJX) - this airport also has a large capital improvement project slated for 2020/2021.

What are YOUR company priorities for the next round of new AWOS weather facilities?

ADOT Reports on the 2020 Highways and Aviation Budget

[ADOT Highway and Aviation Operating Budget](#)

AACA continues to advocate for an Aviation Budget separate from the Highway budget.

AACA Members Support the River Watch Program

To learn more about the program, please view this slide presentation: [AK-PIREP Riverwatch Program](#)

To receive daily emails or learn more about the program, please contact:

- Fairbanks Service Hydrologist (FAI) Karen Endres 907-458-3714 karen.endres@noaa.gov
- Anchorage Service Hydrologist (ANC) Celine van Breukelen 907-266-137; celine.vanbreukelen@noaa.gov
- River Forecast Center Group email (ANC) nws.ar.aprfc@noaa.gov 907-266-5160
- Crane Johnson Alaska Pacific River Forecast Center Benjamin.johnson@noaa.gov

AACA OFFERS MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS

- **Worker's Compensation Insurance**
 - Good experience on paid insurance premiums.
 - Dual memberships required - AACA & IFBOA.
 - IFBOA dues are \$300 per year for plan participants.
- **Pilots Loss of License Insurance (INCLUDING LOSS OF MEDICAL)**
 - Contact Assured directly at (792) 980-0800. <http://www.airsure.com/markets-we-serve/alaska>
 - Risk Strategies - Please contact Mike Craford 503-789-5215.
- **MODA Group Health Care plans.**
 - Three medical plans have been developed for AACA members, as well as dental and vision packages.
 - The three plan choices are designed to fit a range of budgets, including a high deductible health plan.
 - Favorable 2019-2020 rates were finalized in October 2019 and renewed annually.
 - Call or email Risk Strategies program specialists today for a quote on Health Care, Life Insurance and more!

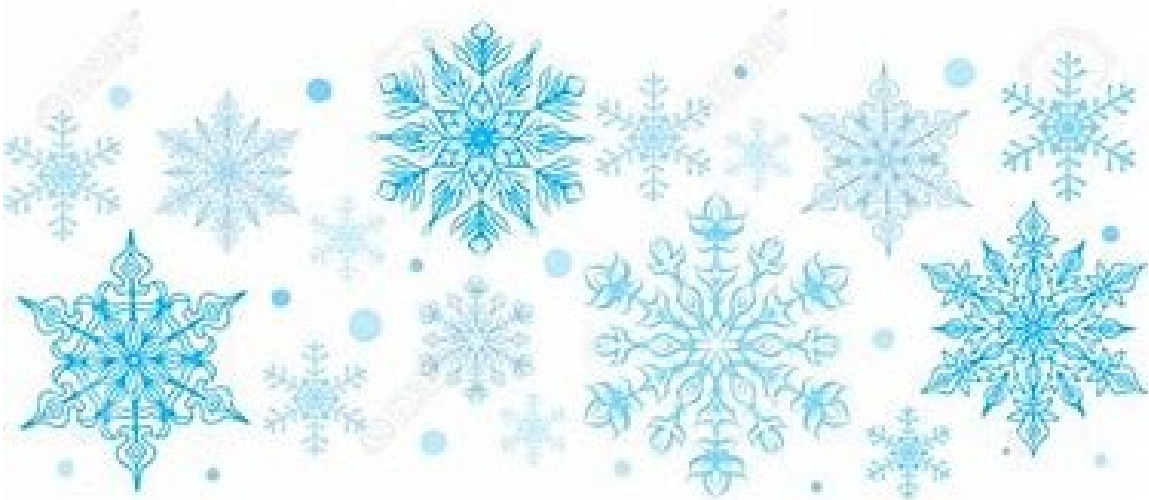
[AACA Group Health Care Presentation CLICK HERE](#)

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- **Other AACA benefits:**

- Legislative Advocacy (Federal & State)
- Safety Awards Program
- Scholarships
- Free Stand By Travel - for air carrier employees to AACA annual convention and member dinner. Generously donated by Alaska Airlines
- AACA Facilitates Training and Meetings
- Web links to your website or email
- Member discounts for advertising on the AACA website.
- Quarterly Newsletter (Digital)
- Annual Membership Directory



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